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## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

rack-mount Α system according to storage one embodiment of the present invention may comprise an equipment cabinet that defines at least one device opening therein. A first device sized to be received by the first device opening defines a first mounting pathway therein. The first device has a chassis that is sized to receive at least one component of the first device and that also defines at least/a portion of the first mounting pathway. A support spar/sized to be received by the first mounting pathway and being sized to engage said equipment cabinet, engages the first mounting pathway and the equipment cabinet/to support said first device in the equipment cabingt.